

## **Abandonment and Reclamation Plan**

NWB Permit # 2BE-FRK0812

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Fork Property

The planned work has very little land impact, the camp will be extremely low impact and transient in nature (few occupants for very limited time in dome tents) and drill holes are typically less than 5" in diameter and can be fully reclaimed by capping and filling the hole. All reclamation will take place on a progressive basis throughout the course of the permit.

Drill holes will have all casings removed, be capped and the area surrounding the drill site returned as closely as possible to the pristine state. Drill cuttings will be placed in a sump with a minimum free-board of 1.2m that will be backfilled upon completion of the holes in the area. Drill core will not be stored on site; it will be boxed and back-hauled south for further analysis. In the unlikely event of a fuel spill contaminated soils will be bagged, placed in buckets and drums and removed for further analysis, a site assessment will be performed and remediation will be conducted as per the Government of Nunavut's Environmental Guideline for Site Remediation (2002).

No permanent or even semi-permanent structures are planned for camps, so the tents will be removed as will all garbage and wastes. Sumps for grey water and toilet wastes will be back-filled upon completion each season. Any established fuel caches (none planned for the coming season) will be removed upon completion of the project. Photos of the camp area and drill sites will be taken prior to any work commencing and upon completion these photos will be used to ensure the land is returned to its previous state.